

**OFFICE OF THE GENERAL COUNSEL  
Division of Operations-Management**

MEMORANDUM OM 95-22

March 17, 1995

TO : All Regional Directors, Officers-in-Charge,  
and Resident Officers

FROM : William G. Stack  
Associate General Counsel

SUBJECT: In re: Joel I. Keiler,  
Case AD-3

Attached is a copy of the Board's March 15, 1995 Decision and Order in the above-captioned matter. Based upon misconduct of an aggravated character within the meaning of Section 102.44(b) of the Board's Rules and Regulations, Attorney Keiler has been suspended from practice before the Board for a period of 1 year commencing on March 16. Specifically, the Board found that

. . . Keiler engaged in two kinds of 'misconduct of an aggravated character' under Section 102.44(b). First, Keiler repeatedly and intentionally labeled counsel for the General Counsel a 'liar' and accused him of committing 'a fraud upon the Court.' Second, Keiler engaged in tactics that had no apparent purpose other than to obstruct and delay the unfair labor practice hearing. We conclude that such behavior is outrageous and totally unacceptable in Board proceedings. . . .

Please ensure that all staff members are aware of this suspension and that appropriate steps are taken to enforce the order of the Board. Beginning on March 16, 1995 through and including March 15, 1996, Attorney Keiler is not to be allowed, in any pending or newly filed case, to represent a party either in person or otherwise, to file documents, receive service, or otherwise engage in practice before the Board. Any questions concerning Attorney Keiler's compliance with the Board's order of suspension should promptly be brought to the attention of your Assistant General Counsel.

W. G. S.

Attachment

cc: NLRBU

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